## **REMARKS**

Claims 1 through 12 remain pending in the application. Claim 1 is the only independent claim.

The specification has been amended to even more closely confirm to the drawings and to place such in better form. It is respectfully submitted that <u>no</u> new matter has been added.

Favorable consideration and early passage to issue of the application are earnestly solicited.

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